

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1-18. (canceled)

19. (new) Fused-cast refractory product having the following average chemical composition by weight, the percentages by weight being on the basis of the oxides:

$0.4\% < \text{MgO} < 2.0\%$ ;  $0 \leq \text{Na}_2\text{O} < 0.6\%$

$0.2\% < \text{SiO}_2 < 2.0\%$ ;  $0 \leq \text{F} < 0.6\%$

$\text{CaO} < 0.4\%$ ;  $0 \leq \text{ZrO}_2 < 4\%$

impurities:  $< 0.5\%$ ;  $\text{B}_2\text{O}_3 < 0.05\%$

$\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ : balance.

20. (new) Refractory product according to claim 19, which contains, as a percentage by weight on the basis of the oxides, an MgO content such that:

$0.7\% < \text{MgO}$ .

21. (new) Refractory product according to claim 19, which contains, as a percentage by weight on the basis of the oxides, an  $\text{SiO}_2$  content such that:

$0.5\% < \text{SiO}_2 < 1\%$ .

22. (new) Refractory product according to claim 19, which contains, as a percentage by weight on the basis of the oxides, an  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  content such that:

$0.1\% < \text{Na}_2\text{O}.$

23. (new) Refractory product according to claim 19, which contains, as a percentage by weight on the basis of the oxides, an F content such that:

$0.1\% < \text{F}.$

24. (new) Refractory product according to claim 19, which contains, as a percentage by weight on the basis of the oxides, a CaO content such that:

$\text{CaO} < 0.1\%.$

25. (new) Refractory product according to claim 19, which contains, as a percentage by weight on the basis of the oxides, a  $\text{ZrO}_2$  content such that:

$\text{ZrO}_2 < 0.1\%.$

26. (new) Refractory product according to claim 19, which contains, as a percentage by weight on the basis of the oxides, an  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  content such that:

$\text{Na}_2\text{O} \leq 0.45\%.$

27. (new) Refractory product according to claim 19, which contains, as a percentage by weight on the basis of the oxides, an  $\text{Na}_2\text{O}$  content such that:

$\text{Na}_2\text{O} \leq 0.39\%.$

28. (new) Fused-cast refractory product having the following average chemical composition by weight, the percentages by weight being on the basis of the oxides:

$0.4\% < \text{MgO} < 2.5\%; 0 \leq \text{Na}_2\text{O} < 0.6\%$

$0.2\% < \text{SiO}_2 < 2.0\%$ ;  $0.1 < \text{F} < 0.6\%$

$\text{CaO} < 0.4\%$ ;  $0 \leq \text{ZrO}_2 < 4\%$

impurities:  $< 0.5\%$ ;  $\text{B}_2\text{O}_3 < 0.05\%$

$\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ : balance.

29. (new) Fused-cast refractory product having the following average chemical composition by weight, the percentages by weight being on the basis of the oxides:

$0.4\% < \text{MgO} < 2.5\%$ ;  $0 \leq \text{Na}_2\text{O} < 0.6\%$

$0.2\% < \text{SiO}_2 < 2.0\%$ ;  $0 \leq \text{F} < 0.6\%$

$\text{CaO} < 0.4\%$ ;  $0 \leq \text{ZrO}_2 < 0.1\%$

impurities:  $< 0.5\%$ ;  $\text{B}_2\text{O}_3 < 0.05\%$

$\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$ : balance.